

**California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE)  
Testing Dates and Scheduling Guidelines Through the 2005-06 School Year**

During the 2003-04 school year, only grade 10 students (and adult education students scheduled to graduate after June 2005) are eligible to take the CAHSEE.

Administration Guidelines for Grade 10 Students

- Students must take the CAHSEE only one time during their tenth-grade year.
- Districts must offer a census tenth-grade administration in either February or March.
- During the census administration, school districts must submit an answer document with completed demographic information to the test contractor for **all** grade 10 students in the school district. The total number of answer documents along with the actual number of students tested will be used to calculate the school district's participation rates for Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). The current \$3 apportionment will be split to \$2.68 for each student tested and \$ .32 for each answer document submitted with completed demographic information.
- Districts may provide tenth graders who were absent during the census administration with a make-up opportunity in either March or May to reach the 95% student participation rate required by the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) federal legislation.
- The May administration is provided **only** as a make-up opportunity for grade 10 students who were absent during the census administration.

Administration Guidelines for Grade 11 and 12 Students

- For grade 11 and grade 12 students who have not passed one or both parts of the CAHSEE, school districts may offer one testing opportunity in the first semester (September or November) and one opportunity in the second semester (February or March).
- School districts may provide a fifth testing opportunity in May to grade 12 students who have not passed one or both parts of the CAHSEE in any of the preceding administrations.

The table on the following page contains the designated CAHSEE administration dates through May 2006. In selecting an administration schedule, please see Educational Testing Service's Web site for key dates for scheduling the February, March, and May 2004 administrations of the CAHSEE at <http://www.ets.org/cahsee/dload/deadlines.pdf>.

<b>Designated CAHSEE Testing Dates</b>		
English-language arts		Mathematics
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>2003-04</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>
February 3, 2004		February 4, 2004
March 16, 2004		March 17, 2004
May 11, 2004		May 12, 2004
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>2004-05</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>
September 21, 2004		September 22, 2004
November 16, 2004		November 17, 2004
February 8, 2005		February 9, 2005
March 15, 2005		March 16, 2005
May 10, 2005		May 11, 2005
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>2005-06</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>
September 13, 2005		September 14, 2005
November 1, 2005		November 2, 2005
February 7, 2006		February 8, 2006
March 14, 2006		March 15, 2006
May 9, 2006		May 10, 2006

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2003-2004 School Year

July				
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28	29	30	31	

August				
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September				
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15	16	17 CANCELLED	18	19
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October				
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HOLIDAYS INDICATED: **July** – (4) Independence Day; **September** – (1) Labor Day; **October** – (13) Columbus Day; **November** – (11) Veteran's Day and (27) Thanksgiving; **December** – (25) Christmas; **January** – (1) New Year's Day and (19) Martin Luther King Day; **February** – (12) Lincoln's Birthday and (16) President's Day; **March** – (31) Cesar Chavez Day; **April** – (9) Good Friday; **May** – (31) Memorial Day

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